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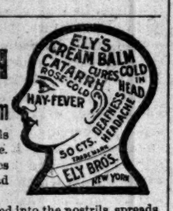

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"FORGIVES" THE BISHOP.

Rev. I. N. W. Irvine, who was deposed by Bishop Ethelbert Talbot, of the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania, and whose effort recently to present the Bishop failed, yesterday issued a signed statement announcing his intention to drop all proceedings against Bishop Talbot, both ecclesiastical and legal. He states that he is actuated by a desire to prevent further scandal to the Episcopal Church.

Dr. Irvine reviews the controversy with the Bishop at length, and enumerates a number of facts not heretofore given publicity. He charges that money and influence were used by Bishop Talbot to block his efforts to bring the case before an ecclesiastical court. In deciding to proceed no further he says: "I do not know what else can be done with Bishop Talbot, who has brought such a scandal upon the church and such a scandal upon others, but to forgive him, and I herewith freely and without reservation offer him full and free pardon as if we were standing on the last great day before the judgment throne of Jesus Christ, our Incarnate God."

Dr. Irvine declares he was not charged with either "crime" or "immorality" in the presentment which Bishop Taylor signed against him, and he asserts that neither word was uttered by Bishop Talbot's lawyers during the ecclesiastical trial of the deposed priest. He says he was charged with "conduct unbecoming a minister of this church," which has since ceased to be an offense in the disciplinary canon.

One of the specifications under this offense was that Dr. Irvine had circulated false reports regarding Mrs. Emma D. Elliot, but the specification was nolle prossed and Dr. Irvine claims he was deposed because he had offended Mrs. Elliott and had not taken the blame of her excommunication upon his own shoulders.

Dr. Irvine devoted considerable space to the noted Upjohn letter, which resulted in his attempt to present Bishop Talbot. Concerning the civil suit recently entered against Bishop Talbot, Dr. Irvine says: "Bishop Talbot has twice evaded the service of a summons in Philadelphia. If he were not guilty he never would have run away, but would have courted on investigation to the finish. Dr. Irvine's only object has been to get vindication."

"Never have there been any more sincere and heroic efforts made on the part of any man to show the church and the world that he has been falsely accused and unjustly treated than by the writer of this article," says Dr. Irvine. "Never have there been more deliberate lying, improper influence, intrigue, as well as the vile use of money and power, than have been called upon to shield wrongdoing and to hide the fight from the public."

MURDERED TWELVE WIVES.

Chief of Police O'Neill, of Chicago, yesterday declared his belief that Johann Adolph Hoch, alleged to have been married to over a score of women, has murdered at least 12 of them. This statement was made by Chief O'Neill in a letter written by him to Capt. James J. Langan, of the detective bureau of New York, in which he requested the police department of that city to follow a clew given through an anonymous letter received by Inspector of Police Shippy from a woman living at the Belvidere Hotel, New York. In this letter it is intimated that Hoch married two New York women, whom he has abandoned.

An attempt was made to have Hoch indicted by the grand jury yesterday on charges of wife abandonment and bigamy. The complainants were Mrs. Amelia Augusta Fischer Hoch, Mrs. Anna Hendrickson Hoch and Mrs. Marie Goerk Hoch. It was found, however, that in bigamy cases the wife cannot testify against her husband and that witnesses to the marriages must be secured before action can be taken.

As the marriages took place in various parts of the country time will be required in which to secure witnesses to give testimony against Hoch sufficient to indict him.

Coroner's Physician Lewke, who is making a chemical analysis of the intestines of Mrs Marie Welker Hoch, informed Coroner Hoffman last night that he had discovered evidence of extraneous poison, although the analysis had not yet been completed. Dr. Lewke said: "The microscopical examination has shown no poisons other than those contained in the medicines and the embalming fluid used by the undertaker, but in the chemical analysis as far as it has progressed there is distinct evidence of extraneous poison."

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 1, 1905.

It has often been said by the Gazette that many Southern men when they go north to speak become possessed of the idea that they must say something derogatory of themselves or their section in order to please their northern hearers. But these men only stultify themselves and do their cause no good; indeed they bring reproach upon themselves from all self respecting men, no matter from which section they hail. In this connection it may be stated that Senator Bailey, of Texas, one of the brainiest men in Congress, is entirely right in the stand he has taken in reference to the speech made recently by Dr. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia, before the Southern Society of New York, in which he took occasion to say that there were "no trained men in the public life from the South at this time," and exclaimed, "Where are the Calhouns and Clays of other days." The speech provoked considerable resentment among the public men in the South and Senator Bailey has addressed Thomas Nelson Page a letter on the subject. Mr. Bailey wrote the letter to Mr. Page, rather than to Dr. Alderman himself, because Mr. Page is the chairman of a committee from which Mr. Bailey felt bound to withdraw on account of Dr. Alderman's speech. The Senator's letter is as follows:

"Some time ago you and others were good enough to designate me as a member of a committee whose duty it is to raise by subscription a suitable fund for the University of Virginia. I did not at that time accept the appointment because I doubt the propriety of any man, while engaged in the public service, soliciting large contributions, even for the most worthy purposes, but I did not feel it necessary to protest against the committee. Recently, however, a circumstance has arisen which compels me to insist upon the withdrawal of my name from all connection with the work which your committee was intended to promote. The circumstance to which I refer is the speech which Dr. Alderman, the present head of the university, delivered before the Southern Society of New York, and in which he makes a mean and wholly unwarranted reflection upon the intellect and standing of southern Senators and Representatives in Congress. If I thought the estimates expressed by Dr. Alderman were candid and unbiased opinions of the southern men who are engaged in the services of their respective States, I would feel less resentment, but as I am constrained to believe that he was seeking the favor of those millionairs who are supposed to abhor certain principles and policies advocated by southern Senators and Representatives, I find it impossible to be patient with his criticism.

"It would seem that those of our own section who complain that the South no longer supplies the republic with such men as John C. Calhoun, Henry Clay and Jefferson Davis, would also remember that other sections no longer contribute such men as Daniel Webster, Rufus Choate and Abraham Lincoln. Without entering into an explanation of the fact that changes in the habits and occupations of our people have established a different and perhaps a lower test of excellence in our public servants, I need only to remind that thoughtful and candid men and southern Representatives and Senators of this time compare as favorably with their associates in intellect, character, and conduct as did their predecessors; and if it be true that the quality of southern leadership is not so high as it was in the other days the same can be asserted with equal truth as to all other sections. With this fact obvious to every thinking man, I have scant respect for southern educators who unduly dispraise their own neighbors. Much as I would rejoice in the prosperity of the University of Virginia, I would rather see its ancient halls of learning deserted than to see them made the place where false and unjust opinions of southern men and southern principles are instilled into the minds of southern youth."

No effort will be made at this session of Congress to secure consideration of the ship subsidy bill. When the measure was reached on the Senate calendar yesterday, Mr. Gallinger, chairman of the American Shipping Commission, which recommended the passage of the bill, after several months of investigation of the shipping industry, announced that he would make no effort to bring the measure up until the next session of Congress, when he said he expected to push its consideration. At his request the bill was passed over and for the sake of the heavily burdened taxpayers it is hoped that it will meet the same fate at the next session.

The treasury receipts and expenditures for the seven months of the fiscal year ended yesterday show total receipts of $321,060,138 and expenditures of $349,656,445, making a deficit of $28,596,307 for the year so far. At the same time in the last fiscal year the total receipts were $319,425,848 and the expenditures $317,851,609, a surplus of $1,574,234. This looks like government expenses will have to be reduced or a bond issue made to fill the gap between vest and pants, as Speaker Cannon so aptly puts it.

Mr. Roosevelt having first despaired of securing tariff revision has now abandoned hope of obtaining any railroad rate legislation from the present session of Congress but, is it is said, is confident that the arbitration treaties now pending will be ratified by the Senate. The President and the present Congress do not seem to be of one mind.

Gen. Fitz Lee made a gusher speech at the McKinley birthday celebration at Canton last night. Still the country is frozen tight and only cold water was served at the banquet.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.

Senator Bard's attack on President Roosevelt before the committee on Indian affairs of the House yesterday in which the Senator averred that in the use of Indian trust funds for the support of sectarian schools. Roman Catholic schools received 98 per cent. of the money expended under contracts made by the Indian commissioners, was one of the principal topics of discussion about the Capital today. "The Senator was grossly mistaken in his statement," said an official at the White House. "And has either been misinformed or is deliberately attempting to injure the President. President Roosevelt never entertained Archbishop Corrigan at a meal at the White House and never promised him ten chaplaincies in the army or any other number in return for the Catholic Church's support in the presidential campaign. I do not believe that there are ten chaplaincies at his disposal in the army and navy put together. The statements made by Senator Bard before the committee were simply absurd and he ought in fairness to take back what he said."

The House committee on the judiciary by a vote of 8 to 4, today agreed to postpone indefinitely, and lay on the table, the Grosvenor anti-injunction bill. There was no discussion of the bill designed to take its place requiring notice on other party when injunction or other restraining order is sought in labor disputes.

The nomination of Thomas J. Woodward, to be postmaster at New Orleans, was sent to the Senate by the President today, also that of Lafayette Sharp, to be postmaster at San Augustine, Texas. Among the other nominations sent to the Senate today were the following: To be Consul General, William Martin, of New York, at Hankau, China; to be Consuls, James C. Kellogg, of Louisiana, at Barranquilla, Columbia; Daniel S. Kidder, of Florida, at Nanking, China; James Johnston, of New Jersey, at Algiers, Algeria; to be Register of Land Office, Walter L. Cohen, of Louisiana, at New Orleans, La.

A telegram from Minister Russell at Bogota states that by executive decree Colombia has raised her import duties 70 per cent.

The President this morning announced his intention to retain Commissioner of Patents Frederick I. Allen, of New York, in his present office. His commission is a continuing one and a reappointment is not required.

Arthur Simmons, the colored doorkeeper at the White House, who has served in that capacity almost continuously since President Grant's time, has been transfered to the Interior Department. William Dulaney, of Alexandria, Va., colored another employee on the White House rolls, has been appointed to Simmons' place.

A delegation of members of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons were here yesterday to invite speakers to attend the annual banquet to be given by the lodge in their city on February 22 next.

At the dinner given last night for the members of the republican congressional committee, both chairman Babcock, of Wisconsin, and Secretary Overstreet, of Indiana, announced positively that under no consideration would they accept re-election to their posts on the committee two years hence.

The purpose of a bill induced in the House today by Representative Jenkins, of Winconsin, chairman of the judiciary committee, is to prevent United States judges from charging $10 a day straight for expenses when holding court outside of their judicial districts, when their expenses are under this sum, a practice brought to light by the impeachment proceedings against Judge Swayne, of Florida.

A resolution introduced in the Senate today by Mr. Pettus calling upon the Secretary of the Treasury for information relative to drawbacks, was agreed to. It asked the Secretary to report what amount has been allowed as drawbacks of customs duties since June 30, 1900, and what amount has been allowed as drawbacks each specific year since that tie and the amount allowed on each class of property imported.

It is said that the President is anxious to settle the Missouri senatorship deadlock and has offered Mr. Niedringhaus either an ambassadorship or a place in the Cabinet. The latter says he will have the senatorship or nothing.

Representative Marsh, of Illinois, is ill at the Willard with pneumonia. His condition is serious.

Congressman Sam Smith, of Pontiac, Mich., is at his hotel here, the Buckingham, critically ill with pneumonia. There was a consultation of his physicians this morning and another will be held this afternoon. Although he is not believed to be in danger, his condition has aroused the gravest fears.

There is strong probability that the mandate of the District Court of Appeals in the cases of August W. Machen and Dr. George E. Lorenz will be held up and the defendants will not go to prison immediately. The purpose of the delay will be to try Machen and Lorenz on other indictments now pending in which both are involved. If this is done, more postoffice trials will be commenced in the next few weeks, the sentences now outstanding against Machen and Lorenz being deferred until the other indictments are disposed of. The Groff brothers will be sent away in the course of two weeks.

The House committee on the judiciary today authorized a favorable report on the Littlefield bill which is endorsed by the Department of Commerce and Labor, and which requires all corporations engaged in interstate commerce to file annual returns with the Commissioner of Corporations. Among the returns demanded from the corporations are the names of constituent companies, amount of bonds and stocks issued, amount paid in, whether in cash or in property, and if in property, describing same. False returns made shall be deemed guilty of perjury. A list of the corporations making the returns shall be published annually. The Commissioner of the Corporations shall have authority to inquire into the management of the business of said corporations, as provided in the act of February 4, 1887, and shall make recommendations for additional legislation as he may deem necessary. Refusal to make returns shall be punishable by fine of from $500 to $5,000.

The House committee on elections No. 2, today gave consideration to a memorial of the Independent home rule party of Hawaii, praying for the appointment of a commission to investigate the recent election in that territory. The charge is that the official ballots used were attached to a numbered stub the use of which is condemned as illegal and unlawful, and that it was done by order of Secretary A. L. C. Atkinson, of Hawaii, for the purpose of identifying and intimidating voters. Secretary Atkinson said that the numbering of the ballots was for the purpose of preventing fraud.

After the Cabinet meeting yesterday it is reported that President Roosevelt said to Attorney-General Moody: "Put some of the packers in jail if there is any way by which you can prove that they have violated the law. Show them no mercy. They have no mercy on the people and they are entitled to no more consideration than any other law breaker. They have not obeyed the law as enumerated by Judge Grosscup."

News of the Day.

Russian officers testified before the North Sea Commission in Paris yesterday that they saw strange torpedo boats just before British fishing vessels were fired upon.

Despite Senator Mitchell's dramatic denial of any wrong doing concerning the land frauds in Oregon, the grand jury of Portland yesterday again indicted him for complicity in those frauds.

Postmaster-General Wynne has notified Republican Committeeman Capers, of South Carolina, that postmasters who pay the expenses of delegates to political conventions will be subject to dismissal.

One of the most daring robberies that have taken place in East Baltimore for many months occurred yesterday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock, when Mrs. Bessie Kirshner, wife of Mr. Simon Kirshner, was choked into insensibility at her home and robbed of $13.16 by a white man, who escaped.

President Spencer, of the Southern Railway, in commenting on President Roosevelt's speech on the railroad rate question, says the President is right when he recognizes that conscientious and public-spirited railway men should be protected from the illegal acts of less scrupulous competitors and unscrupulous big shippers.

Japanese army headquarters report that in the recent fighting along the Hun river, Manchuria, the Russians left more than 1,200 dead on the field. The London Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Tokio says it is estimated the Russians lost from 36,000 to 42,000 men. General Kuropatkin, in a telegram to Czar Nicholas, says the Japanese losses were "very heavy."

Mr. Carroll D. Wright yesterday terminated twenty years of service as United States commissioner of labor. Today his successor, Dr. Charles P. Neill, who has given up his duties as a member of the faculty of the Catholic University, became the labor commissioner. Mr. Wright left Washington yesterday evening for Worcester, Mass., to take up his work as active president of Clark College, situated in that city.

MR. WILLIAMS AND MR. HAY.

As stated in the Gazette of that day the House yesterday had another lively time over the Hull amendment to the army appropriation bill regarding the reduction of pay of retired officers in active service with State militia, which many members of the House, both democrats and republicans, regard as a direct slap at Gen. Miles. Under the leadership of Representative Hay, of Virginia, 53 democrats deserted Mr. Williams, the minority leader on the floor, and voted in favor of the Hull amendment, and by a vote of 177 to 71 the House refused to concur in the Senate amendment. The bill was sent back to conference.

A protracted debate arose over a motion by Mr. Williams to accept, with a slight modification, the Senate substitute for the House amendment relating to retired officers serving with militia regiments. Mr. Williams reiterated his belief that the original House amendment was directed at General Miles, now Inspector General of Massachusetts. Messrs. Hull and Hay opposed the Senate amendment, the former disclaiming that it had special reference to General Miles. He said that if General Miles had died six months ago the amendment would have been offered anyhow, but he regarded it as unfortunate "that a man of such a distinguished career can always manage to get himself in the forefront of public opinion, so that no matter what Congress proposes to do you are always hitting General Miles." He also regretted that "Massachusetts should have its politics revolve around a man." Declaring that the House provision was in the interests of the people and that it was democratic doctrine to save money, Mr. Hay appealed to the democratic membership to vote down the Senate amendment. He also referred to the fact that Gen. Miles was the federal officer who put shackles on Jefferson Davis, the fugitive president of the Confederacy.

Mr. Williams, replying to both Messrs. Hull and Hay, said that he was not at all afraid of the covert attack on his democracy. "I am not," he said, "afraid of my loyalty or fealty as a southerner. I dislike so much to stay under cover that we might as well come out. I share the feeling that southern men generally entertain regarding General Miles's conduct when he put shackles on the ankles of Jefferson Davis at Fortress Monroe, and I don't believe it will sound in history to his credit or that it will sound in history to the discredit of Mr. Davis that he was compelled to submit to it, old and helpless and sick as he was at the time. If this legislation had been pointed at anybody else than General Miles I would have taken the same course that I have taken, except that I have taken it much more anxiously and much more warmly. I stand in the relationship to Jefferson Davis that some of my critics do not. First he was a Missippian and I am one. My grandfather was the senior captain of his regiment in the Mexican war and his favorite captain, and in the third place he was my friend, as far as an old man can be a friend of a child or boy. If you want to punish General Miles or anybody else for what was done in those days, if history is to hold out its condemnation, all right; but this is not the time nor the place nor the way to get even. The people of the South don't punish in a little way like that." Mr. Williams received loud applause on the democratic side when he took his seat. The Williams amendment and motion were lost—79 to 171.

The Birmingham, England, Post reports that the Japanese government has ordered 15,000 tons of rails in Glasgow for Japanese and Corean railways. Heavy orders of rolling stock, locomotives, and other equipments, the paper says, will be placed in America and England.

Virginia News.

Fire last night damaged seriously the Southern Asbestos Company's plant near Richmond.

The Navy Department has recommended to Congress an appropriation of $43,000 for improvements at the Norfolk navy yard.

Col. George W. Mills, formerly head of St. Albans School, at Radford, one of the leading men of the southwest, is dying at Memorial Hospital in Richmond.

Senator Martin yesterday introduced in the Senate a bill to pay $900 to the New Hope Baptist church, of Orange county, for damages sustained during the cival war.

Fleet S. Cox, of Stafford county, was found dead yesterday in an outhouse at his home, near White Oak. He was eighty-four years old, and had been a farmer, merchant, and politician.

Lieut. Gov. and Mrs. Joseph E. Willard entertained last night Maj. Gen. Sir Thomas Fraser, K. C. B. Sir Thomas is making a short stay in Richmond. He is interested in the fields in that section where some of the most famous battles of the civil war were fought.

Fire yesterday morning destroyed the residence of J. T. McIlwee, at Rosenberger, Frederick county, together with all its contents. Mr. and Mrs. McIlwee were away at the time. Two of their daughters, who were in the house, were badly burned about the face and arms.

Representative Swanson, who is a candidate for governor, has made a statement in reference to his controversy with Lieut. Gov. Joseph E. Willard over the latter's attitude on the employers' liability bill and has challenged Colonel Willard to a series of plant debate. For two weeks the controversy has been carried on in the newspapers.

Major James W. Pegram, 62 years old, second vice president of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia, and one of the most widely known insurance men in this state, died yesterday in Philadelphia, where he had gone for treatment for Bright's disease. He was a son of Capt. Robert Pegram, of the United States navy, afterwards in the Confederate navy.

The hunting season ended in Virginia at midnight last night. In portions of the State it has proven one of the poorest in years, and it may be necessary for the next legislature to prohibit the killing of partridges for a certain number of years. This was done about a decade ago, and as a result there was an enormous increase in the game birds. Under the law no one is allowed to have any game on hand during the closed season. There are game wardens in every section of the State.

LEE AND McKINLEY.

Commemorating the birthday of the late President McKinley, the Young Men's McKinley Club of Canton, Ohio, last night held a notable banquet. Among those present were Senator Fairbanks, Judge Day, General Black, Governor Herrick, General Fitzhugh Lee and others. Mrs. McKinley, her daughter and several friends were also present. During the evening General Fitzhugh Lee made a speech praising McKinley's lofty character and his splendid services to his country, "McKinley and the South" was his subject. "Tonight," he said, "each State which is represented by a star in the national crown which binds the American Union is equally interested in all that concerns the name and fame of the man who sleeps his last sleep in your midst so quietly that no sound can ever wake him to glory again. Sleep on, just and wise ruler! Your birth was a blessing to your country; your life a blessing to all of its inhabitants; your death a calamity which has excited the lamentations of a world. All sections tonight hear the echo of the voice of the great soldier, U. S. Grant, when, on his deathbed, he said: 'I feel that we are approaching an era of great good feeling between Federal and Confederate soldiers. I shall not be here to witness it in its perfection, but I feel within me that it is to be so. Let us have peace.' I have tried in my own person to make good this expression of the renowned soldier, and today there are hanging in my library two swords, linked together, side by side. One used as a major general when a Confederate soldier, the other worn as major general of the United States volunteers. The weapons of Grant and Lee have been sheathed forever. The sabers of Sheridan and Stuart have been returned to their scabbards and the tents of Sherman and Joe Johnston have been pitched forever on the eternal camping grounds, and all over this land at this hour is shining the great orb of peace in all the splendor of unclouded majesty. The birth of the man whose memory we unite in recalling tonight is a great event, and should be annually celebrated by all our people, 'Lest we forget! Lest we forget!' that he was 'a foe without hate, a friend without treachery, a soldier without cruelty, a public officer without vices, a private citizen without reproach, a Christain without hypocrisy, a man without guilt.'"

OUTBREAK SUBSIDING.

The revolutionary outbreak in Warsaw appears to be subsiding. The London Daily Mail's correspondent estimates the dead at 300. Mobs repeatedly fired at the troops, who retaliated in kind.

The St. Petersburg police surprised a meeting of strikers and fired, killing a girl and wounding four other persons.

Grand Duke Vladimir in an interview, expressed the opinion that "a Constitution would mean the end of Russia," but predicted reforms. He also said he was surprised at the attitude of Americans toward his country.

A sensational but unconfirmed report was current last night that the commission investigating the incident of January 19—when during the annual ceremony of the blessing of the waters of the Neva the imperial family narrowly escaped death—has discovered that it was a deliberate attempt at terrorism, and that the responsibility for the insertion of grape in front of a saluting charge has been fixed upon Bogdanoff, a private of the Seventeenth Battery of the First Horse Artillery of the Guards, who was serving the gun. Bogdanoff, it is said, is a former student and a member of a revolutionary association.

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Today's Telegraphic News

The Czar Listens to Workmen.

London, Feb. 1.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Publishers' Press Association wires that representative workmen of all the big factories are now conferring with Governor General Trepoff. On next Monday the government will meet all the masters and representatives of the men with a view to granting the workmen freedom of meeting, and to bring about an end of the strike. This conciliatory programme has been drawn up by General Trepoff and M. Kokomotzoff, the Minister of Finance. The aim is to wean the men away from their political aspirations.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—The Czar received 33 workmen at Tsarskoe-Selo at 3:30 this afternoon, and listened to their complaints and demands.

His Majesty listened to the narration of the workmen's demands by the deputation and promised to hold an inquiry into the affairs brought forward.

It is officially announced that P. N. Dournovi has been appointed Minister of the Interior to succeed Prince Mirsky. Father Gopon, the leader of the strikers, has issued a proclamation in reponse to the one issued by Governor General Trepoff, several days ago, which influenced a majority of men to return to work. Father Gopon's statement is in the nature of a demand backed by a threat. It reads: "Your manifesto placarded on the streets of St. Petersburg persuaded the strikers to resume work, because you promised to investigate conditions of labor and introduce necessary reforms. What has happened that the workmen have been deceived. Although they resumed work they are arrested by the wholesale, in workshops and at home. The Government has broken its word. It persecutes the workmen instead of protecting them. Where is the protection promised? Where are our rights that were guaranteed? Answer, or you will find the consequences disastrous."

Odessa, Feb. 1.—An attempt to assassinate the chief of police of Odessa was made today.

M. Galovin, the chief of police, was entering police headquarters from his carriage, when a shot was fired at him from the streets. The bullet lodged in his right shoulder, but did not inflict a dangerous wound. His assailant, who, from his dress appeared to be a workman, escaped.

Berlin, Feb. 1.—The Lokal Anzeiger prints a rumor that Count Wolked, prefect of Warsaw, has been assassinated.

Conditions in Poland.

Warsaw, Feb. 1.—The city is quieter today. The Governor General has placarded the city with bills, warning all possessors of powder that under the state of siege which exists, any one perpetrating lawless acts in the streets will be summarily shot, and any one conspiring against the public peace will be summarily banished or imprisoned for a term of ten years. Conflicts are raging in other towns of Poland. At Pabiance a mob carrying red flags marched through the town. They attempted to destroy police headquarters with dynamite and looted the residences of the leading citizens. At Plock a mob stormed the police station and shot two officers and four policemen. They plundered the shops of many Jews. An attempt was made to dynamite the prefecture, the law courts and the police buildings at Siedlce. At Puleste, the gendarmes met a mob which was parading the streets and in driving the populace to their homes killed 18 persons and wounded 28 others. A mob at Zuierz plundered a number of shops, and in an ensuing fight with the police, several officers were injured. The strike movement in Warsaw province continues to spread. Practically all the employes of the manufacturing districts in the province are now out.

Strikers at Lodz, Pabiance, Znierz, and surrounding districts today planned to assemble at six points and march against Skierniewic and burn the Czar's palace there. The plan failed, as troops repelled the different columns before they effected a juncture.

Anarchists in Paris.

Paris, Feb. 1.—Anarchists are still busy in Paris. A fourth attempt to explode a bomb was discovered this morning when an infernal machine was found lying in the Avenue Breteuil. The bomb was taken to the city laboratory. This is the fourth bomb that has been found within two days. The third was found in the Avenue Opera last night. A later dispatch says that an examination of the bombs found in the Avenue Opera and the Avenue Breteuil has proven the engines were harmless. They had been filled with earth by practical jokers.

A manifesto was posted on the Bourse, on the labor exchange and on the walls in all quarters of Paris this morning calling on the anarchists of the city to stand by their colors. The manifesto which was signed by a group of anarchists reads: "Comrades: We have work to do as well as the Russians in pitilessly destroying governments, nations and castes. We rise against all authority, police, armies, morals, laws and codes. Down with God; Down with the state; Down with society; Down with rulers; Thanks to the efforts of comrades, anarchy is born from corpses. Tomorrow's insurrection will proclaim individual liberty. Progress marches." Perfect of Police Kepine has forbidden the socialists to hold a meeting at Karcher Hall tonight. The Free Masons, however, have offered their temple where the meeting will be held.

War in the East

Tokio, Feb. 1.—Field Marshal Oyama reports this morning that several attacks on the Japanese centre and right divisions have been repulsed.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—General Kuropatkin reports the Russians have evacuated Kheigontay, one of the advance positions which they occupied a few days ago. He further reports that a Japanese attack on Taitishe has been repulsed. Sandepu, which was the scene of a desperate fight on January 26, has been again set on fire by the Russians.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—Admiral Abaza, chief of the committee on Chancellery of the East, will leave for Manchuria tomorrow on an important mission. The nature of the mission has not been made known.

Peculiar Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, price 25c.

Threatened Strikes.

New York, Feb. 1.—There is a possibility that the subway will be tied up shortly after noon today by a strike of the employes. At a meeting held last night, which lasted until after midnight, and at which the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway employes and the local union of the Brotherhood of Firemen were represented it was decided to put the matter of the grivenaces before the officers of the company at 11 o'clock today. At that time what will be practically an ultimatum will be presented, and unless the demands of the men are acceded to a strike will be ordered at once. The men complain of being compelled to make an extra trip by a recent ruling of the railroad officials; also of bad faith on the part of the latter.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 1.—Without forewarning the members of the Builders' League this morning will present notices to all union employes that unless they agree to work in an open shop they must find employment in shops other than those controlled by the league. Over 5,000 men alone will be affected in Pittsburg, while five times as many in all parts of the State will be given the opportunity of continuing at work against the rules of the union or striking. A general strike of the building trades is anticipated.

Destructive Fires.

Schenectady, N. Y. Feb. 1.—The most destructive fire that has occurred in the city started in lower State street at 4:45 o'clock this morning, and for three hours the entire fire department fought the flames before they were under control. Six buildings were completely gutted. The loss is placed at between $250,000 and $300,000.

Salem, Mass., Feb. 1.—The Peabody building was destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is estimated at $130,000. The heaviest loss was the Salem News Publishing Company, which occupied the basement and portions of each of the three stories.

North Brookfield, Mass., Feb. 1.—A fire which broke out in the alms house early this morning destroyed the institution and one of the twelve inmates, Simon Beautiate, 35 years old, is missing, and is believed to have perished in the blaze. So rapidly did the blaze spread that there was no time to dress and the inmates were compelled to flee from the house in their night clothes out into the freezing cold, the thermometer being below zero. They were sheltered for the night in the houses of neighbors. The loss is about $12,000.

Royal Patients.

Berlin, Feb. 1.—Prince Eitel Frederick who has been seriously ill with inflammation of the lungs, is now on the road to recovery. His physicians issued the following statement this morning: "Prince Eitel Frederick has safely passed the crisis. He is extremely weak, but his convalescence is assured. No further bulletins will be issued."

London, Feb. 1.—An official bulletin issued this morning regarding the condition of Princess Victoria, King Edward's daughter, who was yesterday operated on for appendicitis, says the royal patient is progressing as well as might be expected. The bulletin reads: "The Princess Victoria had a somewhat restless night, but in all respects she is as well as can be expected this morning."

Four Men Killed.

Wheeling, W. Va., Feb. 1.—At 3:15 o'clock this morning at the Bellair plant of the Carnegie Steel Company occurred a fatal accident in which six men were buried beneath a slide of ore, and four were killed. The scene of the accident was the ore shed where five foreigners and an American foreman were engaged in digging out ore at the base of the hill-like pile. They were careless in their excavations, undermined a portion of ore and tons of it fell upon six and buried them. At 3:30 this morning four had been taken out. One foreigner and an American were seriously injured, while two foreigners were dead when found. Two others are yet in the immense slide of ore and will be dead when reached.

Death of "Pittsburg Phil."

Asheville, N. C., Feb. 1.—George Smith, known thoughout the country as "Pittsburg Phil," the famous turf plunger, died here at nine o'clock this morning from the effects of tuberculosis, contracted several years ago. At the time of his death Mr Smith's brother and cousin were with him. Smith was abont 30 years of age and began life as a printer and later won fame by his successful operations on the race tracks. The remains will be taken to Pittsburg for interment.

Assignment.

Boston, Feb. 1.—The firm of Frederick Gray & Co., clothing dealers, has made an assignment to W. V. Hyde, for the benefit of creditors. The liabilities will approximate $400,000, constituting one of the largest failures of the year. The assets are as yet unknown. The cause of the failure is said to be keen competition and the sale of high grade clothing at prices which reduced the profit to a minimum.

For a Reprieve.

Montpelier, Vt., Feb. 1.—Gov. Bell will this afternoon hear arguments on a protest to reprieve Mrs. Rogers, sentenced to be hanged on Friday for the murder of her husband. New testimony in the case, it is said, will be presented. Leon Perham, who is serving a life sentence as the accomplice of Mary Rogers in the murder of her husband, made a confession in the State prison at Winsdor last night. He said he was anxious to save his own neck at the trial in court and said things which were untrue about Mrs. Rogers. He is now willing to tell the whole truth.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Feb. 1.—There was considerable irregularity in the early dealings in the stock market today, due partly to profit taking and partly to efforts of the bears to check the recent strength. In the main prices opened somewhat higher, but a reaction set in and there were sharp breaks in some issues which have been prominent recently for sensational advances. The only development that could be advanced as an excuse for the raid on the market was the large engagements of gold announced for export. At the close of the first hour the market on fresh buying of an influential character was rallying with considerable vim and many stocks were back to about their highest.

Another Case of Rheumatism Cured by Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

The efficacy of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the relief of rheumatism is being demonstrated daily. Parker Tripletl, of Grisby, Va., says that Chamberlain's Pain Balm gave him permanent relief from rheumatism in the back when everything else failed, and he would not be without it. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

To Test Constitution.

At the meeting of the Negro Agricultural and Industrial Society of Virginia, which has been in session in Richmond for two days, with Jordan Thompson, of Norfolk, presiding, a resolution was adopted looking to raising $5,000 to bring to trial the Brickhouse case from Norfolk, involving the validity of the new constitution. Addresses were made by Rev. Dr. Z. D. Lewis, pastor of one of the largest colored churches in Richmond, and Maggie L. Walker, president of St. Luke's Savings Bank in that city, eulogizing James H. Hayes, the negro lawyer who is leader of the movement to test the new constitution. Resolutions were adopted urging agitation, "till the very foundation stones of the republic trembled." Subscriptions and contributions were called for, receiving a liberal response. The preamble sets forth the fact that the gathering was "the republicans of the State of Virginia in convention assembled." Credit was given Hayes and that organization for the unprecedented majorities Roosevelt and Fairbanks received in what was supposed to be the doubtful States, and asks for a presidential appointment for Hayes. It also calls for a committee to be appointed by the president of the society to journey to Washington, wait upon Congressman Slemp, and have him present the committee to the President, so as to give them a chance to present Hayes's claims in person.

Japs tell Russians of Revolution.

Constant streams of wounded men are arriving at Mukden from the right flank, including Lieutenant General Mistchenko, who is in excellent spirits and is receiving visitors. According to the official army organ the wounded number 3,500. The cold is intense and the condition of the wounded causes the greatest anxiety because the exposure of their wounds to the frost induces gangrene. Preventive precautions have been taken, but the wounded are suffering the greatest pain.

The Japanese are taking good care to see that the Russian rank and file are not left uninformed regarding the disturbances in Russia. They are carrying on a regular campaign to spread sedition and discouragement among the troops. Letters are daily thrown within the Russian lines declaring that all Russia is aflame with riot and revolt, arguing that the soldiers are shedding their blood in vain, and calling on them to surrender or desert.

The soldiers eagerly read and discuss these communications especially accounts of the events at St. Petersburg January 22. The sincere hope is expressed on all sides that the Russian nation will forego internal differences and not play into the hands of the Japanese.

Fatal Fight Over 10 Cents.

A fatal fight occurred in Buchanan county Sunday in which Moses Branham lost his life and a number of others were seriously injured. The fight was caused by a dispute over 10 cents. The affair occurred at Guesses Fork where Moses Branham, Almarine Rife and several others were making up money to send after whisky. The amount had all been paid in but 10 cents, and Rife said that Branham had promised the dime, but had not put it up. A few words were passed, and Rife and Branham began striking each other with their fists. Harve Collins, Branham's stepson, in trying to part them, was struck by Branham on the neck and tendered unconscious, whereupon Branham's wife, his stepdaughter and Rife all attacked him sticks, pokers and knives. He received wounds from which he died shortly afterward. Collins was lodged in jail. Rife escaped to the mountains and the dead man's wife was arrested and placed under bond.

We acknowledge the receipt of that much talked of book "Johnny Reb and Billy Yank" from its author, Mr. Alexander Hunter. The story, from its touching dedication to "Johnny Reb, that tattered Son of Fortune" to finis, holds the reader by its appeal to the imagination, to the heart and to the mind. It is written in a pleasing, easy style and neither prejudice nor bitterness mars its pages. Mr. Hunter served as a foot soldier for two years in the famous Pickett's Division, and for two years more in the celebrated Black Horse Cavalry, and the facts of his narrative are gathered from a diary kept from start to finish of the civil war. "A private in the ranks" he says "can afford to tell the truth as to what he saw and heard, and having no grievance, can be fair and just." The book is of special interest to people in this city and northern Virginia and has won favorable criticism throughout the country. In closing a most complimentary notice the Baltimore Sun says: "To the old soldiers of the civil war this book will prove a veritable treasure trove, relating for them, as few could hope to relate for themselves, the experience of their war days."

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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DIED.

Mrs. CHARLOTTE KESSELER, wife of the late John Kesselar, died at 335 north St. Asaph street, her home, at 8:20 Tuesday evening, in the 77th year of her age. Her two daughters survive her.

We miss thee from our home, dear mother,
We miss thee from thy place;
A shadow o'er our life is cast,
We miss the sunshine of thy face.
We miss thy kind and willing hand,
Thy fond and earnest care;
Our home is dark without thee,
We miss thee everywhere.

BY HER DAUGHTER.

Her funeral will take place from her daughter's residence, 1123 King street, on Thursday evening at 3 o'clock.

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Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 1, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:06 and sets 5:22. High water at 6:00 a. m. and 6:16 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section partly cloudy and colder tonight. Thursday fair, colder; variable winds, becoming fresh westerly.

Corporation Commission.

As heretofore stated, the members of the Corporation Commission will meet here tomorrow to hear complaints concerning the irregularity in the running of trains on the electric railway, &c. Notice has been given to those who have grievance against the company to appear before the commission at the Corporation Court room at 10 o'clock in the morning. A number of those who have made complaint but who, it is learned, had no intention of appearing before the commission, have been served with summonses to do so. It has been suggested by persons who are furthering the movement toward bringing about better transportation facilities that all citizens interested appear in the court room, as it is a matter which concerns the entire community.

Mr. J. W. Williams, bailiff of the commission, arrived here this evening, and announced that Judge Crump, and Messrs. Stuart and Fairfax would be here tomorrow. The first-named will preside, and First Assistant Clerk Lanier will attend the sessions of the commission.

Personal.

Mr. Charles M. Cuvillier, who left here recently for Panama, to fill a position to which he was appointed by the Isthmian Canal Commission, is ill with fever in a hospital, and Mrs. Cuvillier has sailed for Panama to nurse her husband.

Mr. Percy Clift, formerly master mechanic of the W., A. & Mt. V. Railway, has been appointed assistant superintendent. Mr. Edward Groves will succeed Mr. Clift as master mechanic.

Mr. C B. Marshall is confined to his home by a serious cold.

Mr. Chas. G. Davis, of Scranton, Pa., is visiting his brother, Capt. J. V. Davis.

Mr. Samuel Garnett is confined to his home by illness.

Mr. Earl Moore, of Alexandria, is visiting relatives and friends in town this week.—[Harrisonburg Register.

Preparing for Twenty-second.

A meeting of the executive committee of the George Washington's Birthday Celebration Association was held at the Friendship engine house last night. Mayor Paff, the president, of the association, presided. Mr. J. H. Trimyer offered a resolution which was adopted providing that the president appoint a special committee to make the necessary arrangements for a proper observance of the approaching anniversary by public speaking, a dinner, and in other manner that the committee may think advisable. It was suggested that the celebration be held in the afternoon, so that it will not interfere with the Masonic banquet in the evening. It was the general opinion that a parade would be inadvisable on account of the inauguration of the President following so closely.

House Robbed.

The residence of Mrs. C. F. Lee, on Duke street, west of Washington, was entered a few nights since and robbed of a number of articles of wearing apparel. Mrs. Lee and her daughter were in Washington at the time and a gentleman living in the neighborhood noticed a light being in the house that night and two persons moving about in an upper room. He made inquiries next morning and later Mrs. Lee was communicated with and informed of the occurence. She came home at once and found that her home had been ransacked, but that only some wearing apparel had been stolen. It was evident that the thieves were well acquainted with the premises.

Ground Hog Day.

Tomorrow will be Groundhog Day. It is the day when the rodent is supposed to creep carefully out of his hole, and if the weather be bright and fair, so that he sees his shadow, he will become so frightened that he will retire immediately, and so doing forecasts 40 days of rain and snow and other disagreeable conditions. The tradition in most parts of Europe is that if Candlemas Day is fair a hard winter is predicted. Candlemas Day has also an ecclesiastical meaning, for it is the Feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin. In the Roman Catholic Church the festival is strictly kept.

Overhead Trolley on Bridge.

Gen. Davis, Judge Advocate General of the army, has rendered an opinion that it is doubtful if the Secretary of War has the authority to grant the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company the right to erect a temporary overhead trolley system on the new highway bridge. It will require three years to install an underground electric system, and in the interim the company desires to use an overhead trolley. In view of the opinion Congress will be asked to grant permission for the erection of the temporary overhead trolley system.

The River.

The steamer Norfolk arrived up this morning about an hour late. Her officers report thick ice almost to the mouth of the river. Floes have formed in bends, and in several places between this city and Maryland Point difficulty is experienced in breaking a way through the ice.

Death of Elderly Lady.

Mrs. Charlotte Kessler, widow of John Kessler, and whose critical illness had been mentioned in the Gazette, died last night at her home on north St. Asaph street. The deceased was 80 years old. She leaves two daughters.

Lecture in the Synagogue.

Miss Jeannette Miriam Goldberg, of Jefferson, Texas, will deliver a lecture in the Jewish Synagogue, on north Washington street, at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. The public is cordially invited.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Walter B. Kerrick, of Loudoun county, and Minnie A. Kerrick, of Fauquier county; Benjamin F. Griffith and Ollie V. Benton, both of Fauquier county, and to Richard Mason, of Fairfax Court House, and Mary Lucas, of Warrenton.

Dream Foretold Child's Death.

The following appeared in one of the Washington Sunday papers: My grandfather, Raphael Semmes, was a cool, keen, hard headed business man with no frills of any kind, a man of stern integrity, unimpeachable honor and strict truth, but with very little sentiment or imagination. When his eldest, and at time only, child (he was afterward the father of thirteen) was about a year old, business called him from home. After a long, hard ride, he spent the night with his brother—they lived some fifty miles apart. During the night his brother was awakened by his cries and groans. He told his brother he had a dreadful dream. "I saw my little girl, Anna Marie, lying dead in her crib, and clasped in her hands, on her breast, was a little black crucifix, that hangs high over her head. She said: 'I will die on the third day of June; nobody will see me die, or know what hour.' And although she can't talk or even stand alone, it all seemed natural in my dream." His brother tried to reassure him, saying: "Well, this is only April, anyhow, and I expect it was caused by the good old Maryland ham you ate for supper." Twice he fell asleep, and each time the child appeared and spoke the same words. He finally arose, and, after writing the date and putting it carefully in his brother's Bible, saddled his horse and rode home just as day was breaking. He found the child in perfect health, and not wishing to worry my grandmother (who had a high strung imagination and vivid fancy) said nothing, but wrote the date in the family Bible. On the 3d of June he did not leave the house though the child was apparently well. That night, fortified with coffee and a book, he determined to watch. The old clock on the stairs rang out twelve strokes. He arose and looked at the calmly sleeping child. His eyes then sought the crucifix hanging so high above her head. He resumed his reading, and must have slept, for when again conscious it was the dull gray dawn of another day; the candles sputtered feebly, all was deathly still. He rushed over to the crib; the child was dead, with the little crucifix clasped in her arms.

MRS. T. MARSHALL JONES.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Snow commenced falling this evening.

If today had only been Groundhog Day!

There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning.

A meeting of the Friendship Veteran Firemen's Association will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the engine house.

During the past month the Clerk of the Corporation Court recorded 55 deeds and issued 33 marriage licenses—22 to white and 11 to colored persons.

Mrs. Ida Gaines died at her home at Arlington yesterday. The deceased leaves a husband and two children. Her remains will be taken to Stevensburg, Va., for interment.

The case of Henry Smith, colored, charged with "raising" a one to a twenty dollar note, was before U. S. Commissioner Garnett this evening and sent on to the grand jury.

Mr. R. D. Rodgers, evangelist, will resume meetings at the Village Chapel on Tuesday night, February 7, at 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "Hell and Its Horrors." [Luke xvi., 23-24.

The euchre party to be given in the Young Men's Sodality Lyceum hall February 15, will be under the auspices of Kenefick Council, No. 190, Catholic Women's Benevolent League.

Superintendent Kemper, of the public schools, has received notice that a scholarship at Bethel Academy will be awarded any deserving young man in this city who is properly recommended.

Fried clams, 30c per dozen. Soup every day. Chas. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. m-w fr

Fiendish Suffering

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All coughs, colds and pulmonary complaints that are curable are quickly cured by One Minute Cough Cure. Clears the phlegm draws out inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts, strenghtens the lungs, wards off pneumonia. Harmless and pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

LOST.

LOST.—STOCK CERTIFICATE NO. 127 for four shares of the Alexandria Insurance Company, standing in the name of Henrietta Fawcett. All persons are warned from purchasing or negotiating same. The finder will please return to CLARENCE C. LEADBEATER. febl 3t*

LOST.—On Sunday, between St. Asaph and Washington streets, a PAIR OF GOLD SPECTACLES. A reward if left at 324 north St. Asaph street. jan31 3t

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MEMBERS OF THE FRIENDSHIP VETERAN FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION are notified to meet at the engine house TONIGHT at 8 o'clock. By order of the President.

1t J. Y. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the INDEPENDENT STEAMBOAT AND BARGE COMPANY on MONDAY, February 13, 1905, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the company's office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year. Transfer books close on Feburary 3 and remain closed until Feburary 12, 1905. JULIUS HUGLE, Secretary.

febl td.

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SENATE.

When the Senate met today, the army bill was sent to conference, the conference being instructed to insist upon the Lodge amendment removing the retroactive effect from the provision denying more than retired pay to retired officers above the grade of major, assigned to National Guard duty.

HOUSE.

Edwin P. Hammond, of Indiana, vice former Representative Steele, of Indiana, resigned, was today elected by the House a member of the Board of Managers of the National Home for Disabled Soldiers.

Mr. Littauer, of New York, submitted the conference report on the fortification appropriation bill. The only matter of difference between the House and Senate is the Senate amendment, demanding of the War Department an estimate in full detail, as regards size and number of guns for each proposed fortification in the insular possessions. It is bad policy, he said, to make such matters public.

Members of the fortifications committee are always given this information in secret. Foreign governments are anxious to get it, he charged, and are always willing to pay handsomely for it.

His request that the House refuse to accept the Senate amendment, and send the bill to another conference, was granted.

In committee of the whole, consideration of the postoffice appropriation bill was resumed. In the general debate, Mr. Goulden urged increased salaries for postoffice employes and Mr. Shirley gave his views on the proposed freight rate legislation.

Mr. Sibley protested against attempting to pass through the House and Senate in 27 legislative days, or less, a railroad freight rate bill, the result of which no man could foretell. He favored the appointment of a congressional committee to consider the question and report to the next session of Congress.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company has declared regular semi-annual dividends of 2 per cent. each on preferred and common stocks.

Frankie Neill, the 'Frisco bantam weight, knocked out Dick Hyland, the amateur bantam weight, of the Pacific coast, in San Francisco last night, in the fifteenth round.

Passengers who arrived at Cordele, Ga., on an early train today state that in an old feud at Rhine, 39 miles east of here, last night, William Livingstone was killed and four others were fatally wounded. The latter are named Coffey, Burnham and Bryant and Miss Bryant.

Charles W. Morse, the former ice king, whose martial troubles has brought him into great prominence arrived in New York today from Europe. He comes to refute any charges that may be made against him in connection with the alleged conspiracy in the legal fight to annul his marriage to Mrs. Clarence Dodge.

A Frisco freight train crashed into a stock yard electric car at the crossing a mile north of Fort Worth, Tex., this morning, completely demolishing it and seriously injuring fifteen passengers. Forty-five passengers were on the street car when the collision came, and the majority of them were more or less injured. Fifteen were taken to a hospital and two will die.

FOREIGN NEWS.

A dispatch from Amsterdam says that life boats have succeeded in reaching the British steamer Alba, ashore near there, and have rescued the crew.

The Constantinople newspapers announce that General Arif's army has relieved the garrison at Sana, Arabia, which was besieged by insurgents last Sunday.

The coal strike in Germany has extended to Silesia where the workers, finding the German factories dependent on them consider this an opportune time to exact better terms.

One of a party of Russian officers who were visiting Cabul, India, yesterday, was shot dead in the street. His murderer, whose nationality is not known, escaped. The chief officer of the party, it is said, has reported the occurrence to the Czar by special messenger.

CONGRESSIONAL.

The Senate yesterday continued the consideration of the joint statehood bill, with Mr. Nelson as the principal speaker. A number of bills were passed, including one largely increasing the fees for incorporating stock companies in the District of Columbia. In the House, the postoffice appropriation bill was debated for an hour, but its consideration had not been concluded at the time of adjournment. The republicans of the House will hold a caucus on Friday afternoon to plan a programme for the proposed railroad rate legislation.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Proceedings of the Supreme Court of Appeals: Driver's administrator vs. Southern Railway Company. Argued and submitted.

Norfolk and Western Railway vs. Fritts. Argued and continued.

Next cases to be called:

Lewis vs. Apperson; Oriental Lumber Company vs. Blades Lumber Company, and Taylor vs. Taylor, being Nos. 49, 50 and 51 on argument docket.

Wholesale Prices of Produce.

Flour Extra	4 85	a	5 00
Family	5 65	a	5 75
Fancy brands	6 15	a	6 75
Wheat, longberry	1 13	a	1 14
Mixed	1 12	a	1 13
Fults	1 12	a	1 13
Damp and tough	0 80	a	0 85
Corn, white	0 54	a	0 56
New White	0 53	a	0 55
Mixed	0 50	a	0 55
Yellow	0 52	a	0 53
Corn Meal	0 67	a	0 70
Rye	0 56	a	0 60
Oats, mixed, new	0 38	a	0 42
White, new	0 40	a	0 45
Elgin Print Butter	0 24	a	0 27
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 16	a	0 20
Choice Virginia	0 25	a	0 30
Common to middling	0 11	a	0 12
Eggs	0 28	a	0 00
Live Chickens [hens]	0 11	a	0 12
Chickens	0 12½	a	0 13
Dressed Turkeys	0 17	a	0 18
Dressed Hogs—Large	0 06½	a	0 06
Small	0 06½	a	0 07
Potatoes, per bu	0 50	a	0 60
Sweet Potatoes	3 00	a	3 25
Yams	1 50	a	2 50
Onions, per bushel	1 20	a	1 25
Dried Cherries	0 14	a	0 15
Dried Apples	0 03	a	0 04
Apples, per bbl	2 25	a	2 50
Dried Peaches, pealed	0 10½	a	0 11
Bacon, country hams	0 10½	a	0 11½
Best sugar-cured hams	0 10½	a	0 11½
Butchers' hams	0 10½	a	0 11½
Breakfast Bacon	0 10½	a	0 11
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 07½	a	0 08
Bulk shoulders	0 08	a	0 08½
Dry Salt sides	0 08	a	0 08½
Fat backs	0 06½	a	0 07

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10 pieces very wide Corset Cover Embroidery, worth 39c and 50c. Sale price, yd, 25c and..... 35c

New White Waist Materials.

Two pieces New Imported Thin White Goods, 35c quality. Sale price..... 25c
Ten pieces Fine White Goods, regular 25c quality. Sale price..... 18c
Ten pieces Fine White Goods, usual 12½c and 15c quality. Sale price..... 9½c

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Fine White India Linens, 36 inches wide, very special at these prices.
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Ladies' 75c Muslin Corset Covers, each..... 59c
Ladies' 50c Muslin Gowns, each..... 39c
Ladies' 75c Muslin Gowns, each..... 63c
Ladies' $1.00 Muslin Gowns, each..... 79c
Ladies' $1.50 Muslin Gowns, each..... $1.19
Ladies' 50c Muslin Skirts, each..... 39c
Ladies' 75c Muslin Skirts, each..... 63c
Ladies' $1.00 Muslin Skirts, each..... 79c
Ladies' $1.50 Muslin Skirts, each..... $1.19
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Irish Point Curtains, in a well covered design; full width and length.

$5 a pair. Value $6.

Irish Point Curtains, made of fine quality net, with plain center and solid border; 3½ yards long.

$6.50 a pair. Value $8.50.

Irish Point Curtains, made of excellent quality net, with a handsome all-over pattern; full width and length.

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White Net Curtains, trimmed with renaissance edging and insertion and a deep ruffle; headed ready to hang, 3 yds. long.

$2 a pair. Value $2.50.

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Women's Handkerchiefs.

Women's All-linen Initial Handkerchiefs, with dainty embroidered wreath under initial. The cloth is sheer, of excellent quality and pure linen.

We offer them at the very low price of 10c Each. $1 a dozen.

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10th, 11th, F and G Sts., N. W.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

A number of commuters and others, who travel on the Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon Railway, have not as yet sent in their statements.

It is earnestly hoped that all statements will be sent tomorrow to either of the undersigned, and that all parties interested in proper train service between Alexandria and Washington, whether summoned or not, will be present at the hearing before the State Corporation Commission, in the Corporation Court Room, of this city, on THURSDAY MORNING NEXT at eleven (11) o'clock.

GARDNER L. BOOTHE, City Attorney.

LEO P. HARLOW, Attorney for Commuters' Association.

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FOR RENT.—My FARM near Lorton station. Good references required. J. K. M. NORTON, 128 S. Fairfax St., Alexandria, Va. jan11 tf

GROCERIES.

Ramsay Sells the Best.

Fancy Nos. 1&2 Mackerel and Potomac Family Roe Herring

Fine Large Bloaters.

G. Wm. Ramsay.

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A Fine Canned Corn Without Hulls.

15c a can.

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The Finest Maine Corn,

12c a can.

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Pin Money Pickles

In Glass.

A Full Assortment, and

MRS. R. J. Johnson's Richmond Pickles

By Measure.

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Absolutely Pure Sap Maple Syrup.

Sweet Cider, Very Fine.

Heinz's Mustard

By Measure.

G. Wm. Ramsay.

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KNIVES, RAZORS and CLIPPERS ground; razors honed; locks, guns, typewriters, baby carriages lamps, oil stoves, etc. repaired; keys fitted. F. D. CRAIN & SON, 104 N. Pitt St. jan27 1w

YARMOUTH BLOATERS, CODFISH and SCOTCH HERRING for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

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FIRST AID TO THE INJURED

SLOAN'S LINIMENT

GROCERIES.

Dressed Turkeys

Received today one barrel Small Dressed Turkeys. Also lot of Chickens.

Beans.

Just received two tons of New Beans which I am going to sell at 7½c per quart, 53c per peck. These beans are strictly first-class and they shall not be advanced.

Mother's Oats.

A large supply of Mother's Oats, fresh from the mill. They are offered at 8c per package as long as they last.

Eggs.

Western Eggs..... 27c per dozen
Fresh Eggs, guaranteed..... 30c " "

Butter.

Western Creamery..... 27c per pound
Virginia Roll Prints..... 25c " "
Good Cooking Butter..... 22c " "

All the finer grades are also carried, such as Elk Grove, Pasteurized and fine seperator goods. No oleo handled.

Bulk Apples.

2? barrels Apples which were selling at $1.60, are offered at $1.25, empty barrel returnable,

Fancy packed Baldwin and Greening Apples, $2.25 per barrel.

Florida Tomatoes and Lettuce.

Oranges.

Sweet, juicy Oranges which were selling 25c, are now 20c per dozen.

The Consumers Store.

J. M. PETTIT, Jr.,

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Bell 'Phone 200. Goods delivered free in the city.

AUCTION SALES.

R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE ENTERED on the 9th day of November, 1904, in the chancery cause of Eliza A. Seaton vs. William Parker et als., pending in the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., the undesigned commissioners therein named will offer for sale on

SATURDAY,

the 4th day of February, 1905, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the market building, the following described LOT OF GROUND in the said city of Alexandria, bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east side of Alfred street, at the middle of the square between Prince and Duke streets, and running thence south on Alfred street thirty-six (36) feet; thence east the same width as in front one hundred (100) feet to an alley, with the use of the alley and all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale: One-third cash and the balance in two equal payments in six and twelve months, the deferred payments to bear interest at 6 per cent. from date of sale, and title to be retained until the purchase money is paid; or all cash at the option of the purchaser. All costs of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

FRANCIS L. SMITH,
K. KEMPER,
GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
DOUGLASS STUART,
Commissioners.

I, John S. Beach, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Va., do hereby certify that Douglass Stuart, one of the commissioners in the above mentioned suit, has entered into bond before me in the sum of $1,000, with approved security, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties under the above decree.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
jan19 ts

Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from John Washington and wife to A. W. Armstrong, trustee, dated the 1st day of October, 1895, and recorded in liber N, No. 5, page 20, one of the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, and by direction of the party secured thereby, default having been made in paying the debt thereby secured, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1905,

the following real estate:

ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, designated as lot No. 6, in the plat and survey made by W. Gillingham, and recorded in liber S, No. 5, page 211, land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, and on said plat described as follows:

Lot No 6—Beginning at "R" in the centre of the old Mount Vernon road corner to lot No. 5, N. 27½°; E. 8.85 chains to "S," a stake in the Henderson line, corner to John Ford, S. 25; E. 6.14 chains to "T," S. 23° 50'; W. 12.25 chains to "Q," in the center of the aforesaid road, N.11½° W 9 chains to the begining, containing 5.33 acres.

Terms—Cash. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

JESSIE R. ARMSTRONG,
Ex'trx of A. W. Armstrong, deceased.
K. Kemper, Attorney. jan26 td

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505 KING STREET.

GOOD FIGS CHEAP.—To close them out I will sell 250 lbs. Figs at 7c pound. Price before Christmas 10c. J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 1, 1905.

The Confederate Cent.

There was only one complete die made for the purpose of coining money by the Confederate States of America—that for a one cent piece, which was made by Lovett, the Philadelphia engraver, in 1861. After he had finished the dies Mr. Lovett found that he was unable to send them to the persons who had ordered the work done, and, becoming alarmed, he "struck off" twelve nickel cents and then carefully secreted both coins and dies. For twelve long years the engraver kept his secret, which was finally revealed through an accident. One day in 1873 he went to the hiding place of the rare coins and selected one for a pocket piece and within the month passed it out unknowingly to Hazeltine, the Philadelphia restaurant keeper. This man, knowing the piece to be Lovett's work, sent it to J. C. Randall, the coin collector. After some little trouble Hazeltine and Randall succeeded in buying the die, and from it they struck fifty-five copper pieces, twelve in silver and seven in gold. This accomplished, they mutilated the die, and coin dealers now hold Confederate cents at a very high figure.

Hard Seats.

It is not well for sedentary workers to sit on cushions. In man, owing chiefly to his erect carriage, there is a strong development of the muscles of the pelvis and the thighs, which almost completely clothe the strong bones of that region. In the seated position, to obviate undue pressure, nature has provided a proper cushion over these bones. Hyrtl's saying is well known, "We sit on the fat of the seat as on a mattress."

In sitting on a smooth and hard surface the body rests upon three main points, but in sitting on a soft cushion pressure is imparted to the muscles and interferes with the circulation in all their parts.

Great attention has been paid to this matter in the construction of bicycle saddles and, speaking generally, with very beneficial results. Nothing can be said against a certain amount of covering, if not too yielding, but the office stool, properly shaped, is an excellent seat.—Pearson's Weekly.

Food Aversions.

Cows' milk is said to be abhorred by the Japanese, and rabbits are never eaten by the Abyssinians, who explain that rabbits are too much like big rats. The natives of the Sandwich Islands would not take caviare for a gift. Cheese in Mexico is simply curds desiccated and pressed in pancake shape, and even then it is patronized only by the Caucasian colonists. The half breeds accept it with hesitation, and a two ounce slice of limburger would stampede a tribe of mountain Indians. They resent it as a practical joke in questionable taste. But why the Koreans eschew ice cream, as a traveler reports is the case, is less easy to explain. Perhaps they share the Japanese prejudice against dairy products or the Chinese predilection for superheated tidbits.

A Queer Italian Custom.

On Aug. 1 of every year the people of Val di Rosa, in Italy, gather in the great square, which is also a thrashing floor, and proceed to exorcise the devil for the benefit of their own dreams and for the well being of their vineyards. The most intelligent man in the community is chosen master of ceremonies. A small fire balloon is made ready and to this the master of ceremonies solemnly attaches a puppet representing his Satanic majesty. Amid the shouts of the peasantry the balloon, with the devil attached, is liberated. The good people believe that for the rest of the year the evil one will not disturb their dreams or damage the vintage.

Fungus Slippers.

Before the discovery of lucifer matches a large hoof shaped fungus growing on the trunks of trees was used throughout northern Europe for making amadou or tinder. The thick, brown, woody flesh of the same fungus, cut into slices and beaten until it assumes the appearance of felt, is used at the present day in Germany for the manufacture of chest protectors, caps, purses, bedroom slippers and various other articles.

One Exception.

"Papa, is the hand that rocks the cradle the one that rules the world?"

"That's what I've heard."

"Well, I know one that don't."

"Who is it?"

"Nurse. She wanted to go downtown, and mamma told her she'd fire her if she went and wouldn't give her no recommendation." — Indianapolis Sentinel.

A Touching Story

is the saving from death of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyler, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious Throat Trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; 50c and $1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Unequalled for Constipation.

Mr. A. R. Kane, a prominent druggist of Baxter Springs, Kansas, says: "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are, in my judgment, the most superior preparation of anything in use today for constipation. They are sure in action and with no tendeney to nauseate or gripe. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

No More Stomach Troubles.

All stomach trouble is removed by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It gives the stomach perfect rest by digesting what you eat without the stomach's aid. The food builds up the body, the rest restores the stomach to health. You don't have to diet yourself when taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. J. D. Erskine, of Allenville, Mich., says, "I suffered Heartburn and Stomach trouble for some time. My sister-in-law has had the same trouble and was not able to eat for six weeks. She lived entirely on warm water. After taking two bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure she was entirely cured. She now eats heartily and is in good health. I am glad to say Kodol gave me instant relief." Sold by all druggists.

OTTERBURN LITHIA WATER.—We are agents for this celebrated Lithia Water an keep constantly on hand a full and fresh supply. WARFIELD & HALL,
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pains cause agony in Neuralgia. Those who are subject to attacks of this dreadful disease, should always keep, handy for immediate use, a bottle of

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WIZARD OIL

This marvelous pain remedy will quickly relieve the spasms which wrack the tortured nerves, and, if taken internally, will permanently cure the cause of the disease.

"I had been a sufferer for years," writes Calvin E. Hill, of Marietta, Ga., "from the frightful pains of neuralgia, and never found any remedy that would give me relief, until I tried Hamlins Wizard Oil, which effected a permanent cure." Price 50c and $1. For sale and recommended by

E. S. Leadbeater & Sons,

Druggists, Alexandria, Va.

MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the AMERICAN HYGIENIC BRICK TILE FIREPROOFING COMPANY (inc.), will be held in Fleischmann's Hotel, Alexandria, Va., MONDAY, February 6, 1905, at five o'clock, p. m., for the election of directors and such other business as may appear. D. WILEY ANDERSON,
jan23 td President.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA INSURANCE COMPANY will be held at the company's office, second floor of Burke & Herbert's banking house, corner of King and Fairfax streets, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, February 6, 1905, at 11 o'clock a. m.
LAURENCE STABLER, Secretary.
jan21 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the MOUNT VERNON CONSTRUCTION COMPANY will be held at 1:30 o'clock p. m., on MONDAY, the 13th day of February, 1905, at the principal office of the said company, 216 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia.
ALFRED P. PALMER, Secretary.
jan28 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LAND AND RIVER IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, of New Alexandria, Va., will be held at 12:30 o'clock p. m., on MONDAY, the 13th day of February, 1905, at 216 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia. F. K. HIPPLE,
jan30 td Secretary.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON, ALEXANDRIA AND MOUNT VERNON RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at 3 o'clock p. m., TUESDAY, February 14, 1905, at the office of the company in Mount Vernon, Virginia.
jan30 td F. K. HIPPLE, Secretary.

STEAMERS.

Weems Steamboat Company.

The Steamers of This Line Will Leave Alexandria

EVERY THURSDAY at 4:30 p. m.
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Leave the wharf at the foot of Prince street at 7 00 p. m.
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N. Y. Tribune Almanac.

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GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C. January 5, 1905. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 p. m. February 4, 1905, and then publicly opened, for constructing at Rosslyn, Virginia a brick building for a Coal Testing Plant. The right is reserved to the United States to reject any or all proposals. Specifications and blue prints will be furnished upon application to this office. Envelopes containing proposals must be marked "Proposals for Constructing Coal Testing Plant" and addressed to CAPTAIN A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. Army.
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Brookes, Wm F & Co.
Brockett, A D, residence
Brockett, A D & Co
Bryant, Herbert, office
Bryant Herbert, residence
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Burke, H R, residence
Business Men's League
Burroughs, W J, residence
Calhan, Henry
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Carlin, J Frank, residence
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Cockey, Jno
Carlin & Brent, Office
Carlin, C C, residence
Caton, J R & H B
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Carlin, Mrs Kate
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Curtin & Butts
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Cogan, John A, plumber
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Harlow, M B & Co
Harlow, M B, residence
Havenner Baking Co
Harlow Bros
Harper, F S
Hellmuth Bros, market
Hellmuth Brothers, King street
Hammond, H
Hill, J M
Hill, J M & Co
Hill, Frank M
Hill, Zora
Hopkins, G D, residence
Hopkins, Dr. J Milton
Hooff, Chas R
Howard, Clifton T
Hill, Geo E
Huff, A J, residence
Janney, Dr C H
Jackson, Wm
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Jones, Dr T M
Johnson, W A & Co
Johnson, Dr Albert
Kemper, Miss Sarah
Kelly, H V
Kicherer, Chas
Kirk, H
King, Charles & Son
King, James E, residence
King, Charles, residence
Kemper, E H
Knight, R E, stationery
Knight, R E, residence
Knox, R E
Knox R F, residence
Knox & Robinsonson
Kramer, Mrs Frederick
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Lambert, U S, residence
Lansburg, Mrs Alice
Lawler, E E & Co
Leadbeater, E S & Sons
Lash, J Lee
Lawler, Martin
Lee, Mrs M L
Lennon, C G
Lennon, C M
Lindsay, N & Co
Loose, J L
Lannon, Thos
Marshall & Bro, John A
Mutual Ice Co
Monroe, Ed, residence
McKenny, W H
McCuen, Jas, bottling works
McLearen, Frank
Morton, Rev W J, residence
Manaeer's Office
Marshall, C B, residence
Marine Railway Shipb'ld'g & Coal
Marshall, John A, residence
Market House
McGuire, Dr Hugh
Miller, E J & Co
Mer. Bld'g, & L Ass'n) L Hoof, Agt.)
Moore, W S
Moore, C A
Markell, Geo E
Masseni, Chas
"Mount Vernon"
May & Son, W H
Myers, R L & Co
Norton, J K M
Nugent, O J
O'Brien, Dr M W
Odell, Aaron, market
Odell, Aaron
Old Dominion Glass Co
Outcalt, C, dentist
O'Sullivan & Co
Pafi's Shoe Co
Patterson & Brother
Peyton, Jas F
Packard, Miss C, residence
Peck, W H
Pollard, F J
Ponnett, Constant, florist
Ponnet, C, florist, West End
Perry, Thomas
Petty, Geo W, residence
Portner Brewing Co, Robt
Portner, Robt, treasurer's office
Portner, Robt, secretary's office
Postal Telegraph Cable Company

TELEPHONE EXCHANGES.

Postoffice
Police Headquarters
Price, Overton W
Price, Geo E & Co, Market
Preston, J T, residence
Pullman, C O
Purvis, Dr W R
Parson, E H (St Asaph)
Quinn, Edward
Reeves, Mrs
Ramsay, G Wm
Ramey, G H
Reiter, Curtiss & Mills, contractors
Rice, J Harry, residence
Risheill, M L, saw mill
Rittenour, Dr A A
Reardon, Wm M
Robertson, H F
Roberts, Walter
Robinson, G H & Sons
Rogers, Joseph F
Ruben & Sons M
Rammel, A & Sons
Reardon, W m, residence
Rucker, Geo H (St Elmo)
Robinson, Thos W
Schlichting, Henry, residence
Schuler, M
Schwarzman, Geo D, residence
Smoot, W A jr, residence
Smith, Mrs. Francis
Smoot, C C & Sons
Smoot, W A & Co
Smoot, W A & Co, office King street
St. Mary's Academy
Smith, C H "Hampton"
Smoot, J R & Co.
Smith, Dr W M, office
Smith, Dr W M, residence
Smoot, Mrs Susan, residence
Smoot, J C, residence
Southern Bell T & T Co, operator
Southern Railway Co, freight yard
Southern Railway Co, W & O
Southern Express Co
So Rwy, Eng Office
Standard Oil Company
Stump, Rev J P
Stevens, Moses
Stuart, Douglass, office
Summers, C J W, residence
Shuman, L
Smoot, W B, residence
Schaffer, C A & Co, florist
Smith, F L
Strauss, H, residence
Swan Bros
Snowden, Dr Arthur
Southern Bell T & T Co
Smoot, W A & Co, King St, office
Simpson, Geo L
Timberman, C T C, residence
The Old Dominion Glass Co
Telephone Exchange chief operator
Theological Seminary
Virginia Glass Works
Virginia Safe Deposit Trust Company
W., A & Mt Vernon Ry Co
W, A & Mt V Ry Co, Payne street
Watkins, J B
Wattles, R H
Wattles, C W
Warfield, jr, E
Washington-Southern Railway
Wash'n-Sou Ry, Engineer
Warfield, sr Edgar
West, Geo
Washington Steamboat Co
Wheatley, B, residence
Weil Bros
Western Union Telegraph Company
White, Wythe
Wheatley, B
Wildt, H
Wilkins, Captain Jno T
Wingfield, S T, residence
Wolford, Lorenzo, residence
Wise, Mrs Peter
Woolls, W P
Yates, C R
Zimmerman, J R, residence
Zimmerman, J R, office
Zimmerman, Chas
Annandale, C C Leachman
Bailey's Cross Roads
Centreville, Va, B B Utterbach
Fairfax, W T Oliver
Falls Church, Va M E Church
Lenato, Va, Sisson, R E
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Sundays—7 00, 8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20 and 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 25, 6 50, 7 20, 7 50, 8 30 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 p. m.

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Sundays—8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20, 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20 and 7 50 p. m.

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